GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
LOK SABHA

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DEALERSHIPS OF KEROSENE
DINESH CHANDRA YADAV

Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a): whether the Government have decided to open kerosene dealerships in all the block headquarters of the country; and

(b): if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINIST OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)

(a)&(b): After the dismantling of Administered Pricing Mechanism (APM) with effect from 1.4.2002, the oil companies are free to choose locations and set up SKO-LDO dealerships depending upon economic viability.